

St. Botolph's, Northfleet & St. Mark's, Rosherville



First Sunday of Advent 30th November 2025

TODAY Benefice Eucharist at St Botolph's at 9.30am only *NO SERVICE AT ST MARK'S*

Next Sunday 7th December Christingle Eucharist at St Botolph's 9.30am and at St Mark's 11.15am

Please return the Children's Society collection tubes at these services.

Our Parish Bible verse...

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world." John 16v33

Anniversary Celebration – 'Walking Together'

Tuesday 2nd December 2025, 7pm in St Botolph's Church

A Eucharist Service in Thanksgiving for the second year of the Ministry of Revd Gordon MacBean

Some of the extra services and events in **DECEMBER**

Friday 5th December 7pm Dignity Memorial Carol Service at St Botolph's

Sunday 7th December Christingle Eucharist St Botolph's 9.30am, St Mark's 11.15am

Sunday 14th December 'Advent Angel Afternoon' 2.30-4pm, St Botolph's Church

Sunday 21st December Eucharist with Readings and Carols 9.30am at St Botolph's, 11.15am at St Mark's

Christmas Eve 2pm Crib, Carols and Cake at St Mark's

Christmas Eve 4pm 'Christmas Starts Here' at St Botolph's

Christmas Eve 11.30pm Midnight Mass at St Botolph's (no service at St Mark's)

Christmas Day – Said Eucharist at St Botolph's 9.30am and St Mark's 11am.

The Wednesday Eucharist takes place every week at 10.30am at St Mark's

The Thursday Eucharist takes place every week at 10.30am at St Botolph's

All knitted snowmen safely re-homed for winter; this project raised an amazing £292.80 for the St Botolph's Hall refurbishment; our thanks to everyone and Janice Cossons who organised it.

ST BOTOLPH'S CHRISTMAS RAFFLE £2 per ticket for Elliot Holmes Memorial Fund - 30th Dec, 7th 14th 21st Dec.

Thank you to everyone who organised and supported the ST BOTOLPH'S WINTER MARKET

Final Total £720.42

Tuesday 9th December 5-7pm the Mayor of Gravesend invites everyone to 'Carols Around the Christmas Tree' in the Kent Room at the Woodville Halls, with Rosherville School Choir.

Free entry, donations to the Mayor's Charities.

Saturday 6th December 'WLTD0' 9.30-11.30 at St Botolph's Hall

Saturday 6th December Community Morning 10am -12noon at St Mark's

Baptisms at St Botolph's take place on the 4th Sunday at 12noon.

Please read the details on our website before contacting Revd Gordon MacBean

There is a Prayer Tree in the Lady Chapel at St Botolph's where you can use the labels to write names of people, places or situations which need our prayers



Please pray for: Jean Allen, Friend J, Stephen F, D&JH, a beloved daughter, Dave Young, Mum V, Paul B, Mick & Val, Harriet, Bethany & Orla, Teresa Lee, J, Alan S, Barbara O, V's Grandma,, JRJ, Dawood & family, Kevin C, Leila & Reza, Ghazal, Pariya and their families, Andrew H, Jon G, P&E, 'C', Danny, Angus & family, MN, Lizzie, Ronwyn, Debi's husband, Michael Donovan, Mum S, I & J, Carole Smith, 'sister L', Toni, Steve F, Janice's friend, Brenda Lawrence, Gail's Dad, Nicholas, Ellen, JR, Kay, 'A', Florence, Martin Wheeler, Kevin B, Sharon,

Contact Gordon/Marion to add names

Those who have died: + Margaret Snitter + Marie Marshall + Violet Thompson +

At the Anniversary of their death: + Baby Cameron Joe Wills + Leonard John Valsler +

 **St Botolphs Church Northfleet**

 **stbotolphnorthfleet.org.uk**

Priest-in-Charge Revd Gordon MacBean

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St Botolph's Hall bookings – 07732 653358 only

St Mark's Hall bookings: – 07890 157054 only

Registered Charity - 1185604 Northfleet & Rosherville PCC

Anne Dennis is the Parish Safeguarding Officer for St. Botolph's and St. Mark's. For Safeguarding concerns contact Revd Gordon MacBean, Marion Fielder-White or Seye Adetunmbi